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APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)

UIZ-003DVCNCPA

In re Application of James P. Pearson et al.

Application Number

09/541873-Conf. #4136

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

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